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School Calendar

September 2	First Day of School
September 24	High School Chapel—Rev. Abels
September 25	Senior Trip to Columbus
September 26	Senior Assembly
September 26	High School Dance
October 8	High School Chapel—Rev. Huish
October 9	Senior Pictures Taken
October 10	Departmental Teachers Meeting
October 17	Magician Show
October 22	High School Chapel—Rev. Jelks
October 23	Junior Assembly
October 23	Junior Class Play
October 24	Central Ohio Teachers Meeting
October 31	Hallowe'en Carnival
November 5	High School Chapel—Rev. James
November 7	Basketball—Cedarville
November 11	Armistice Day—School Closed
November 14	Basketball—Bryan
November 21	Sophomore Assembly
November 21	Basketball—Bellbrook
November 25	Basketball—Jefferson
November 26	High School Chapel—Rev. Brooks
November 27	Thanksgiving Vacation
December 5	Basketball—Ross
December 10	High School Chapel—Rev. Snow
December 19	Basketball—Bryan
December 19 to January 5	Christmas Vacation
January 9	Basketball—Beaver
January 9	Freshman Assembly
January 15-16	Semester Exams
January 16	Basketball—Bellbrook
January 23	Basketball—Cedarville
January 30	Basketball—Jefferson
February 3	Basketball—Spring Valley
February 6	Basketball—Ross
February 19 to 26	Basketball Tournament
February 27	Eighth Grade Assembly
March 5	Athletic Banquet
March 25	Seventh Grade Assembly
March 26	Good Friday
April 9	Sophomore Play
April 23	Junior Assembly
April 30	Junior-Senior Banquet
May 7	Senior Assembly
May 7	Senior Class Play
May 10-11	Senior Exams
May 17-18	Final Exams
May 16	Baccalaureate
May 18	Commencement
May 21	Closing Day of School

Dedication

The years have swiftly flown by,
buildings have been erected, and many have graduated.

It is to you, the Alumni of Silvercreek,
who cherish fond memories and support our every need,
that we dedicate this annual.



D. M. DOLPHIN
Superintendent



JANE WISEMAN
Secretary

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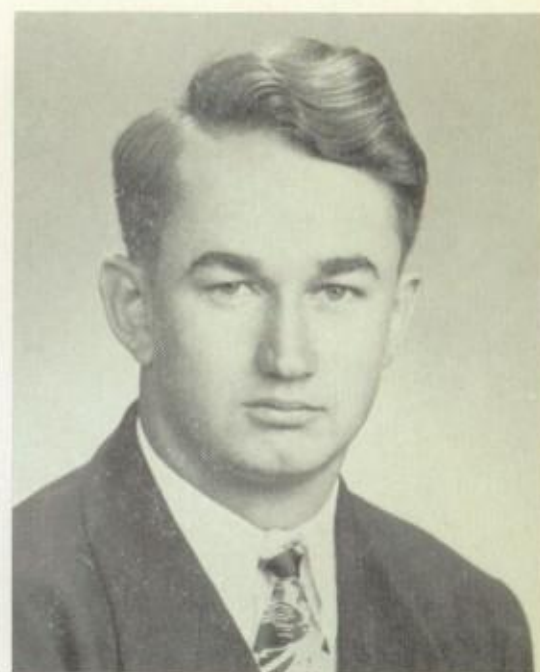


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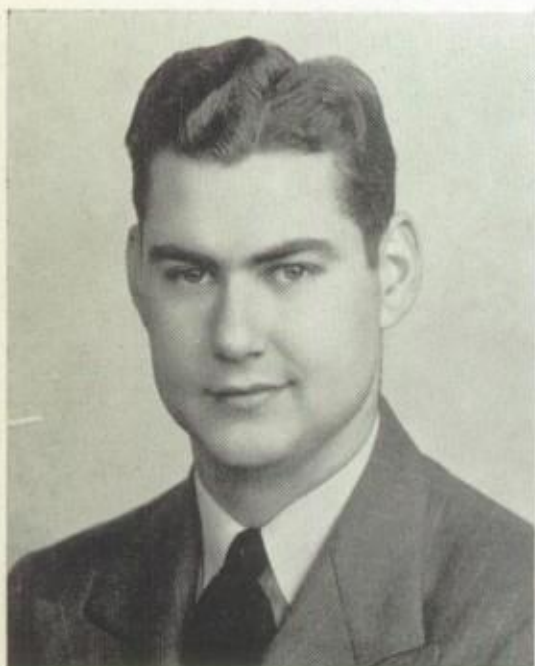
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BLISS E. ALLEN

Girl Reserves 3, 4—Home Ec. 1, 2, 4—Chorus 3, 4.



DELMER L. BONE

Class Play 3—Newspaper Staff 4—Office Work 1, 2—Operetta 3—Chorus 3—Vikonian Staff 4—Advanced Office Training 4—Aeronautics Club 1, 2—4-H Club 1, 2, 3—Hi-Y Club 3.



RUTH ANNA BOWERMASTER

Girl Reserves 3—Class Play 3—Chorus 1, 2, 3.



MILDRED D. BRADSHAW

Girl Reserves, 3—Newsreporter 4—Chorus 1, 2—Class Play 3—Home Ec. 1, 4.



NATHAN K. BURR

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4—Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4—Varsity Club 4—Class Play 3.



HERBERT GENE CARTER

Chorus 3, 4—F. F. A. 1, 2, 3—
Varsity Club 3, 4—Baseball 1, 2,
3, 4—Hi-Y Club 4—Track 3, 4—
Class Play 3.



LAWRENCE W. DAVIS

Chorus 3, 4—Band 1, 2, 3—Hi-Y
Club 3, 4—Aeronautics Club 1—
Basketball 2.



KENNETH E. DENNIS

Newspaper Staff 4—Vikonian Staff
4—Chorus 3, 4—Secretary 1—
President 2—Treasurer 3—Hi-Y
Club (Secretary) 3—Student Sen-
ate 1—Class Play 3—Operetta 3—
Varsity Club 4—Aeronautics Club
1—Chorus Librarian 4—Office
Work 2.



VIVIAN JEANETTA FICKS

Chorus 1, 3—Home Ec. 1, 2—
Latin Club 3—Girl Reserves (Vice
President) 4—Office Work 3—
Class Play 3.



WILMA JEAN FINNEY

Girl Reserves 3, 4—Class Play 3—
Majorette 3, 4—Home Ec. 1, 4—
4-H Club 1.



MARTHA ANNE FUERST

Chorus 1, 3, 4—Accompanist 3, 4—Newspaper Staff 3, 4—Office Work 1, 3—Student Senate 1—Class Play 3—Girl Reserves 3, 4—Varsity Club 3, 4—Editor of Vikonian 4—Accompanist for Operetta 3—Cheerleader 2—English Scholarship 2—Geometry Scholarship 2—Chemistry Scholarship 3.



GRACE GIFFORD

Home Ec. 4—Class Play 3—Chorus 1—4-H Club 1, 2—Girl Reserves 3.



PATRICIA ANNE GOINGS

Chorus 1, 2, 3—Home Ec. 1—Girl Reserves 3, 4—Newsreporter 4—Class Play 3—4-H Club 2.



NEDRA HARPER

Chorus 1, 3—Vikonian Staff 4—Treasurer 1, 2—Secretary 3, 4—Class Play 3—Girl Reserves 3, 4—4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



ELEANOR P. JACOBS

Chorus 1, 3, 4—Girl Reserves 3, 4—Class Play 3—President 1—Treasurer 2—Vikonian Staff 4—Home Ec. 1—Newspaper Staff 4—Varsity Club 3, 4—4-H Club 2—Cheerleader 2—Biology Scholarship 2—American History Scholarship 3.



ALMEDA FRANCES JONES

Girl Reserves 3—Home Ec. 1, 2, 4
—Chorus 3, 4.



BAILEY B. JONES

Band 1, 2, 3, 4—Chorus 3, 4—Hi-Y
Club 3—Vikonian Staff 4—Class
Play 3—Operetta 3—Latin Club 3
—Newsreporter 3 — President of
Band 3—Student Senate 2—Var-
sity Club 4.



NORMA JEAN MARCHANT

Chorus 2—Girl Reserves 3—Office
Work 2, 4—Secretary of Girl Re-
serves 3—Class Play 3.



DONALD C. PERSON

Chorus 4—Hi-Y Club 3, 4—Class
Play 3—Aeronautics Club 1.



ERNEST EDWARD ROCKHOLD

Band 1, 2, 3, 4—Chorus 3, 4—
Accompanist 1, 2—Hi-Y Club 3, 4
—Office Work 2 — Aeronautics
Club 1—Dramatic Club 1.



CLARICE JEANNE STEPHENS

Chorus 1, 3, 4—Girl Reserves 3, 4
—Treasurer 4 — Class Play 3 —
Operetta 3—Newspaper Staff 4—
English Scholarship 3.



ROBERT L. STAFFORD

Band 1, 2, 3, 4—Chorus 3—Class
Play 3—Hi-Y Club 3, 4—Basket-
ball 4.



DOROTHY IRENE SUTTLES

Girl Reserves 3—Chorus 1, 2, 3—
Class Play 3—Majorette 3, 4—
Home Ec. 1.



DON E. TRACY

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4—Basketball 1, 2,
3, 4—F. F. A. 1, 2, 3—Varsity
Club 3, 4—Hi-Y Club 3—Class
Play 3—Student Senate 1, 3, 4—
Vikonian Staff 4—Operetta 3—
Chorus 3, 4.



LUCILLE WEBB

Class Play 3—Chorus 1, 3—Editor
of Vike 3, 4—President of Class
3, 4—President of Girl Reserves 3
—President of Latin Club 3—
Student Senate 2—Vikonian Staff
4—Office Work 1, 2—Home Ec. 1,
2—Spanish Scholarship 2—Latin
Scholarship 3.

Senior Characteristic Sketches

Name	Nick Name	Pet Peeve	Hobby	Cause of Death
Bliss Allen	B. E. A.	Early hours	Men	Laughing at Almeda and Lawrence
Delmer Bone	Lee	Roadsigns	Curves	Red light
Ruth Bowermaster	Annie	Two girls who live in town	Bill	Riding in Plymouth
Mildred Bradshaw	Milly	School	Eating	Ate too much
Nathan Burr	Nate	"F's" in Spelling	Laughing	Got driver's license
Herbert Carter	Herb	Studying	Lucille	Pontiac
Lawrence Davis	Bunky	Boots	Barbara Ann	Late Hours
Kenneth Dennis	Kenny	Public Speaking	Talking	Quit Talking
Vivian Ficks	"Jeanie"	Wolves	"Mose"	Working in a store
Wilma Finney	Jeanie	Alarm Clock	Jimmy	My cooking
Martha Fuerst	Myrt	Corner Cutrate	Riding horseback	Got a B
Grace Gifford	Gracie	English	Reading	Washing dishes
Patricia Goings	Patty	Short men	Tall men	Tootie's piano playing
Nedra Harper	Beth	Red Hair	Glen	"41" Chevy
Eleanor Jacobs	Jo	Blind Dates	Chasing men	Shock of catching one
Almeda Jones	Slim	Making Speeches	Men	Going to Dayton
Bailey Jones	Bonner	Getting up early	400-SR	U in attitude
Norma Marchant	Jeanie	School	Buicks	Good-looking men with money
Donald Person	Don	"Doc"	Horseback riding	Riding a horse
Ernest Rockhold	Ernie	English	Mary Elizabeth	Run over by a streetcar
Robert Stafford	Bob	Band	Hunting	Drinkin' Rum and Coca Cola
Clarice Stephens	Tootie	Nathan	Jerking sodas	Played in Carnegie Hall
Dorothy Suttles	"Poodles"	Immature Men	Bob Glass	Hit by Don Stiener
Don Tracy	Donnie	Working	Girls	O. S. U.
Lucille Webb	Slim	Short Men	Drawing	Thinking

Class History

In September of 1936, a small group of boys and girls started to school in the first grade at Jamestown, Ohio, under the supervision of Miss Rachel Jones.

These boys and girls were Bliss Allen, Mildred Bradshaw, Ruthanna Bowermaster, Bailey Jones, Ernest Rockhold, Clarice Stephens, and Dorothy Suttles.

In the second semester, when the new building was completed, we were joined by Martha Anne Fuerst, Robert Stafford, Donald Person, and Vivian Ficks from Za Za; Wilma Finney and Grace Gifford from Oak Knoll; Lucille Webb from Myers; and Norma Marchant from Washington C. H., Ohio.

The Second Grade brought us Kenneth Dennis from Frankfort, Ohio, and Patty Goings from Luttrell, Ohio.

In the Third Grade, Delmer Bone came from Lawman School in Xenia, Ohio. There were no more changes in our class until the fifth year when Nathan Burr came from Knoxville, Tennessee.

In the Sixth Grade, Eleanor Jacobs came from Hyslop and Nedra Harper came from Cedarville to give our class a total of twenty-one.

The Seventh Grade brought us Herbert Carter from Beaver-creek. In the Eighth Grade Don Tracy, also from Beavercreek, and Lawrence Davis from Xenia came into our class. Almeda Jones from Dunbar came in our Freshman year.

The most important event to date was our Junior Class play, "Aunt Tillie Goes To Town". Our Junior-Senior Reception was held at the Hartman Theatre in Columbus, Ohio, followed by a dinner at Mill's Restaurant.

Since we are now preparing to leave school, we can look back into the years and find that these days may well be the happiest ones in our lives.

Class Prophecy

Time: August, 1968

Place: Chase National Bank, New York, N. Y.

Characters:

Nedra Harper—professional model
Don Tracy—car dealer from Texas
Bailey Jones—accountant at bank

After purchasing and selling many new cars, I found it necessary to make a trip to New York to deposit my money. I went into the Chase National Bank and to my surprise, I found Bailey Jones as the chief accountant.

Don: Well, what are you doing here? Just as I might expect, head accountant at the Chase National Bank.

Bailey: Yes, I've been here for fourteen years now. I've been very successful in my business and I imagine you have, too.

Don: Yes, I have, Bailey, but why don't we have lunch together so we can talk about old times? I know you're too busy to talk right now so I'll sit down over here and wait for you.

Bailey: Oh, look who's coming! You remember Nedra Harper, don't you? Well, she's a professional model now. You and she can talk while you're waiting for me and then we can all go to lunch together.

Nedra: Well, if it isn't Don Tracy. It has been years since I've seen you.

Bailey: My work can wait, let's go eat now. The car is outside.

Don: I hear Kenneth Dennis is editor of the New York Times.

Nedra: Yes, and Eleanor Jacobs is his typist and bookkeeper, isn't she?

Bailey: Yes, and have you ever heard from Delmer Bone?

Don: I got a letter from him the other day. He is the owner of a grocery store in New Jasper.

Nedra: Here we are at the Waldorf so I guess we will have to wait until later to finish our conversation.

Bailey: I heard that Don Person is head waiter here, maybe we'll get to see him.

Don: Here's a place. Let's sit down here.

Bailey: By the way, I hear that Norma Marchant is a buyer for a large department store.

Nedra: Who owns the store now?

Don: Her husband, Ralph Taylor, bought it a few months ago.

Bailey: I wonder how Dorothy Suttles, Vivian Ficks, and Ruth Anna Bowermaster like farm life. You know they are all married.

Don: Whom did they marry?

Bailey: Dorothy married Bob Glass, Ruth Anna married Bill St. John, and Vivian married Maurice Hartman.

Nedra: What are Clarice Stephens and Patty Goings doing now? Still jerking sodas at Claire's Cutrate?

Don: I wonder if they will ever get out of that business?

Bailey: Yes, Patty is a secretary for a lawyer and Clarice is a personnel worker.

Nedra: That's fine. That is just what they wanted to be.

Don: Did Bob Stafford ever become a doctor?

Bailey: Yes, he was practicing in this city but was transferred to another not long ago.

Nedra: I hear that Lawrence Davis is a poet and also has his own jazz band. Ernest Rockhold is a concert pianist and I hear he is really good.

Don: I read in the paper that Bliss Allen and Almeda Jones are both singing with large bands and are receiving large salaries.

Bailey: That is what I heard, also. Oh, there is Don Person but he looks as if he's busy, so I guess we won't get to talk to him after all.

Don: Have either of you heard from Martha Anne Fuerst?

Nedra: Yes, I have. She's living in a penthouse on Park Avenue and enjoying it very much.

Don: How did she get so much money?

Bailey: I read in the paper that she inherited some money, and her husband and her own a large dress shop. Lucille Webb is their great dress designer. You both remember her, don't you?

Nedra: Yes, she always drew such wonderful pictures.

Don: Did you know that she and Herbert Carter are married? He manages a large farm. Their work is altogether different but they get along swell.

Nedra: Did I tell you who my secretary is? It is Grace Gifford. She types for me and if it wasn't for her, I would miss all my appointments.

Bailey: I got a letter from Nathan Burr last week. He is the chief engineer at Ohio State.

Nedra: I got a letter from Wilma Finney and one from Mildred Bradshaw last week, also. Do you know what they are doing?

Bailey: Mildred is teaching commercial work in Colorado, isn't she? I imagine she makes a good teacher.

Don: And Wilma is secretary for her father who owns a big cement factory east of Jamestown.

Nedra: Here comes the waiter so we had better stop talking now. I know we are all hungry.

Bailey: Yes, that is a good idea.

Class Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of nineteen-hundred and forty-eight, of Silvercreek High School, being of sound mind, strong body and character, do hereby make our last will and testament, which shall supersede all other such documents heretofore made.

TO THE FACULTY—We request that you remain patient with future Senior classes who will be extremely different and always absent from school.

TO THE JUNIORS—Our immediate successors, we will our superior ability always to be different.

TO THE SOPHOMORES—We will the right to eventually become the highly talented Seniors which we have become.

TO THE FRESHMEN—We will the right to cast off their green appearance to the Eighth Grade and become sedate Sophomores.

TO THE JUNIOR HIGH—We leave the fun which we have had and hope you will have.

I, Bliss Allen, do hereby will my good grades in English to Betty James.

I, Delmer Lee Bone, do hereby bequeath my ability to wrap around telephone poles to Bill Evans.

I, Ruthanna Bowermaster, do hereby leave my dimples to Dick Arment.

I, Mildred Bradshaw, do hereby will my good grades to Shirley Mossman.

I, Nathan Burr, do hereby will my ability to get F's in Spelling to Jim Ferguson.

I, Herbert Carter, do hereby leave my ability to make baskets to Gene Abels.

I, Lawrence Davis, do hereby leave my class knowledge (which I haven't used yet) to Karl Allen.

I, Kenneth Dennis, do hereby will my curly hair to Dick Pettit.

I, Vivian Ficks, do hereby leave my red hair and freckles to Mary Jane Glass.

I, Wilma Finney, do hereby bequeath my extreme dancing ability to Alice Stillwell.

I, Martha Anne Fuerst, do hereby leave my ability to play the piano to Warren Webb.

I, Grace Gifford, do hereby leave my long hair to Norma Lee Troute.

I, Patty Goings, do hereby leave my "blonde" hair to Marcia Moorman.

I, Nedra Harper, do hereby bequeath my ability to blush to Mary Evelyn Glass.

I, Eleanor Jacobs, do hereby leave my ability to "fuss" to Moe Tidd.

I, Almeda Jones, do hereby will my late hours to Anna Nelson.

I, Bailey Jones, do hereby leave my ability to dress up to Ruth Anna Roberts.

I, Norma Marchant, do hereby will my long nails to Mary Lou Fox.

I, Donald Person, do hereby leave my ability to ride a horse to Ronnie Rogers.

I, Ernest Rockhold, do hereby leave my ability to play sax to Eleanor Bell.

I, Clarice Stephens, do hereby will my various colored lipsticks to Ida Roden.

I, Robert Stafford, do hereby bequeath my ability to argue to Paul Graham.

I, Dorothy Suttles, do hereby leave my "47" Plymouth to Joyce Gustin.

I, Don Tracy, do hereby will my extreme height to Joe Baise.

I, Lucille Webb, do hereby leave my ability to draw to Eddie Brill.

Vikonian Staff



First Row: l. to r. Delmer Bone, Kenneth Dennis, Martha Anne Fuerst, Bailey Jones.
Second Row: Mrs. Faulkner, Don Tracy, Lucille Webb, Nedra Harper, Eleanor Jacobs.

Editor-in-Chief.....	Martha Anne Fuerst
Assistant Editor.....	Bailey Jones
Business Manager.....	Eleanor Jacobs
Assistant Business Manager.....	Nedra Harper
Secretary.....	Kenneth Dennis
Art Editor.....	Lucille Webb
Activities Editor.....	Herbert Carter
Advertising.....	Delmer Bone
Advertising.....	Don Tracy
Sponsor.....	Mrs. Faulkner

Juniors



RICHARD PETTIT
MARY JANE GLASS
EDDIE BRILL
ALICE STILLWELL



NORMA TROUTE
BILL EVANS
RUTH ERYAN
FRANCIS TIDD



SHIRLEY MOSSMAN
ERSIA PERKINS
RUTH ROBERTS
JOYCE GUSTIN



MARY LOU FOX
DICK ARMENT
IDA RODEN
BETTIE CROTHERS



MABEL APPLGATE
ROBERT CHANEY
ANNA NELSON
PAUL GRAHAM
VIOLET CONKEL



IDA RODEN
Harvest Queen

CLASS OFFICERS

President.....	Richard Pettit
Vice President.....	Eddie Brill
Secretary.....	Alice Stillwell
Treasurer.....	Mary Jane Glass
Student Representative.....	Billy Evans
News Reporter.....	Norma Troute

CLASS COLORS
Light Green and Gold

CLASS FLOWER
Yellow Tulip

CLASS MOTTO
Refuse to accept failure, and
somewhere you will find
success.

The Junior Class Play was given October 23, 1947. The name of this play was "At the End of the Rainbow," which was directed by Miss Claire Stormont.

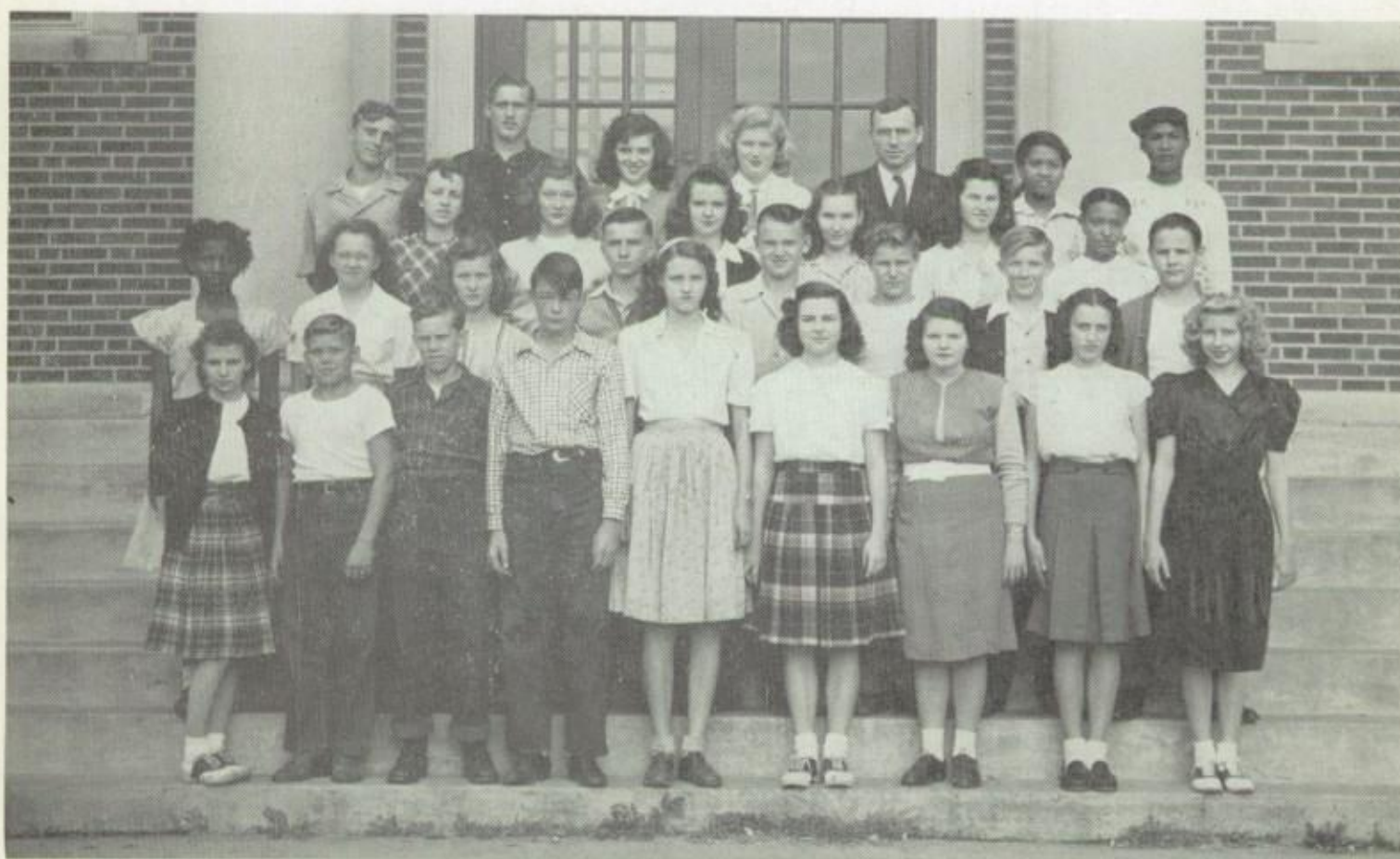
CHARACTERS

ROBERT PRESTON.....	Richard Pettit	PHYLLIS LANE.....	Mary Lou Fox
DOUGLAS BROWN.....	Bill Evans	KATHLEEN KNOX.....	Ida Roden
DICK PRESTON.....	Eddie Brill	THE IMP.....	Mary Jane Glass
STANLEY PALMER.....	Francis Tidd	EMILY ELLIOTT.....	Bettie Crothers
TED WHITNEY.....	Richard Arment	JANE ELLIOTT.....	Violet Conkel
JACK AUSTIN.....	Paul Graham	MRS. BROWN.....	Shirley Mossman
MARION DAYTON.....	Ersia Perkins	POLLY PRICE.....	Ruth Bryan
NELLIE PRESTON.....	Joyce Gustin	ELSA ERNEST.....	Alice Stillwell
LOUISE ROSS.....	Ruth Anna Roberts	MARJORIE ARNOLD.....	Charlotte Straley
		MOLLY BRUCE.....	Norma Troute



Sophomores

First Row: l. to r. Jane Thuma, Nancy Sanders, Joan Shay, Betty James, Hazel Sprinkle, Mildred Tidd, Norma Brown, Wilda Knisley, Madge Wilson, Edith Glass.
 Second Row: l. to r. Mary Suttles, Oma Patterson, Arlene Bowermaster, Dorothy Pitzer, Mary Evelyn Glass, Ruth Blankenship, Sally Franklin, Betty Scott, Evelyn Persinger.
 Third Row: l. to r. Richard Matthews, Billy Harrison, Russell Allen, Bill Allbright, Bob Baker, Clarence Gifford, Russell Newton, James Ferguson, Charles Knecht.
 Fourth Row: Mr. Steel, Keith Seslar, Russell Lynch, Gene Abels, Donald Cooper, Warren Webb.



Freshmen

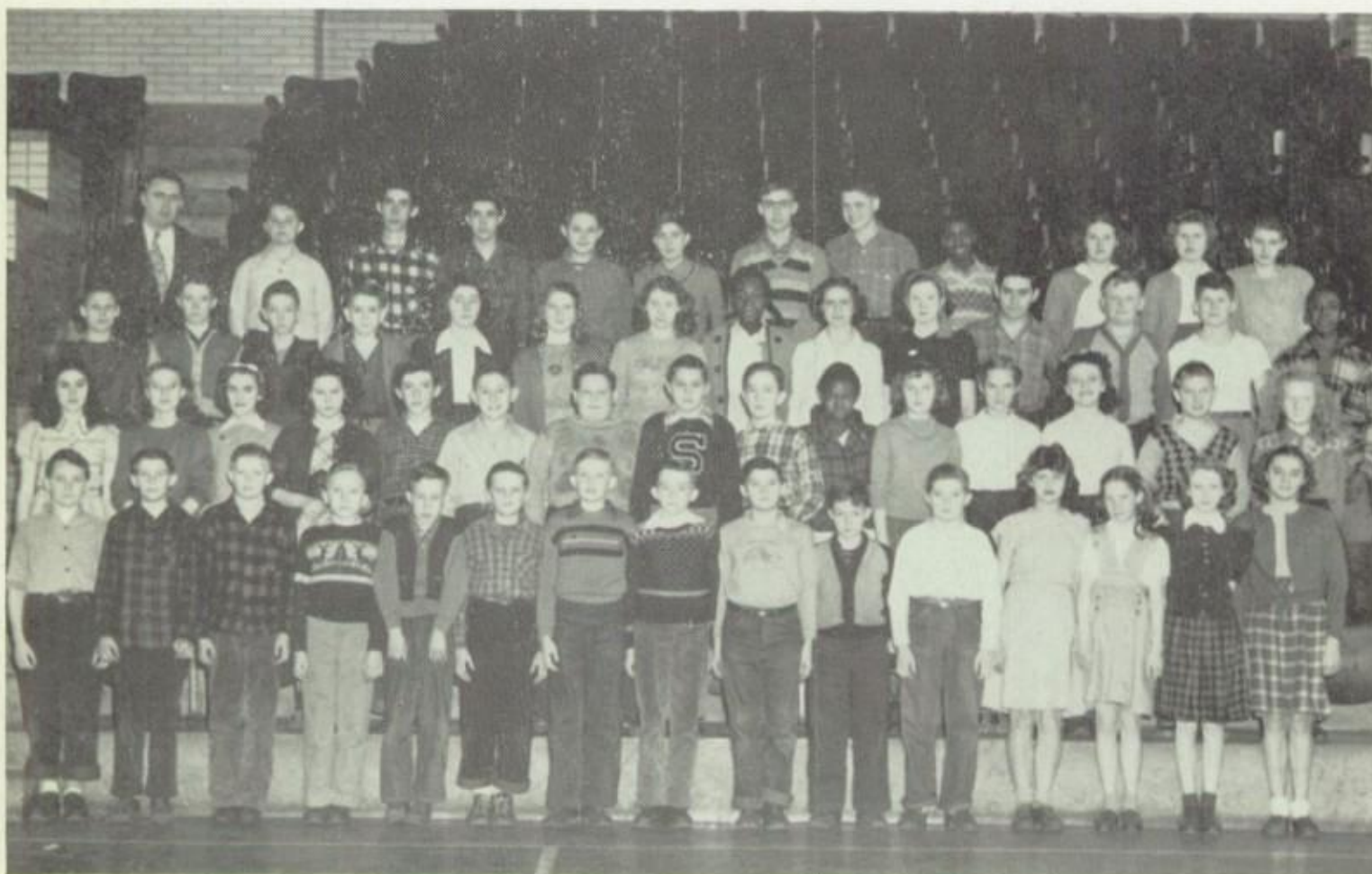
First Row: l. to r. Jean Pickens, Willard Stephens, Donald Stafford, Maynard Bingamon, Donna Evans, Janis St. John, Elizabeth Allbright, Mary Stillwell, Freda Baker.
 Second Row: Lois Wright, Louise Bradshaw, Barbra Stackhouse, Teddy Bailey, Franklin Fowler, Paul Edwards, Jim Ryan, Charles Savory.
 Third Row: Bessie Clark, Betty Knecht, Wilma Willis, Mary Baise, Ruth Hubble, Lenna Nelson.
 Fourth Row: Kenneth Stafford, Ronnie Rogers, Marjorie Carter, Marcia Moorman, Mr. Clayton Wiseman, Eleanor Bell, Georgia Beattles.
 Absent: Roxie Massie.

E i g h t G r a d e



First Row: l. to r. Dan Coe, Bob Suttles, Bob Perkins, Marcella Entsminger, Joyce Carter, Ruth Simison, Doris Sprinkle, Janet Whittington, Nancy Woolley, Mildred Blankenship, Woody Knisley, Ed Pickering.
 Second Row: Douglas Claire, Wilfred Jones, Anna Mae Chandler, Marlene Cox, Mary Lee Jenks, Mildred Long, Kay Seslar, Donna Straley, Ellen Fuerst, Sam Smart.
 Third Row: Una Mae Webb, Dorothy Smart, Patricia Curtis, Veda Mae Wright, Dolores Wisecup, Elinor Robinson, Jeannette Swindler, Jo Ann Lynch, Janet Garringer, Carolyn Arment.
 Fourth Row: Mrs. Wills, Charles Cartwright, Richard Willhite, Harvetta Jameson, Lillie Slaughter, Charles Davis, Harold Smart, Joe Gillespie, Kent Smith.
 Absent: Ronald Kelly and Billy Roden.

S e v e n t h G r a d e



First Row: l. to r. Fred Claire, Richard Brown, Max Allen, Carl Baker, Paul Baise, Richard Stafford, Richard Fawley, Max Seslar, Tommy Middleton, Jimmy Hart, Johnny Litteral, Bernadine Bennett, Dorothy Crothers, Ruth Stingley, Judith Reck.
 Second Row: Joyce Hubble, Virginia Jones, Mary Poole, Georgia Edwards, Jack Carter, Johnny Bowermaster, Ronnie Allen, Jerry Shane, David McCall, Elsie Jones, Nancy Sutton, Elizabeth Spahr, Jean Shinkle, Bobby Jacobs, Lois Conner.
 Third Row: Chester Grooms, John Allbright, Richard Flaughner, Donnie Tidd, Pauline Franer, Shirley Harper, Ellen Talbott, Harriet Slaughter, Lelia Miller, Geraldine Hopkins, Richard Edwards, Robert Roberts, Jack Thuma, Carl Allen.
 Fourth Row: Mr. Wallace, Roy Matthews, Harold Carter, Robert Lute, Henry Taylor, Edgar McDowell, Duane Rosell, Carl Hunter, Robert Davis, Barbara Haines, Nancy Shoemaker, Genevieve Kennedy.

Elementary Faculty



MISS CHLOE McVEY
Wilmington College
Sixth Grade Home Room
English, Spelling, and Writing



MRS. JANET F. THUMA
Dennison University Ph. B.
Fifth Grade Home Room
History, Geography, and Art



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Wilmington College
Fourth Grade Home Room
Reading and Arithmetic



MISS MILDRED TOLAND
Wilmington College
Miami University
Third Grade



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Cedarville College
Second Grade



MRS. MILDRED S. REESE
Wilmington College
First and Second Grade

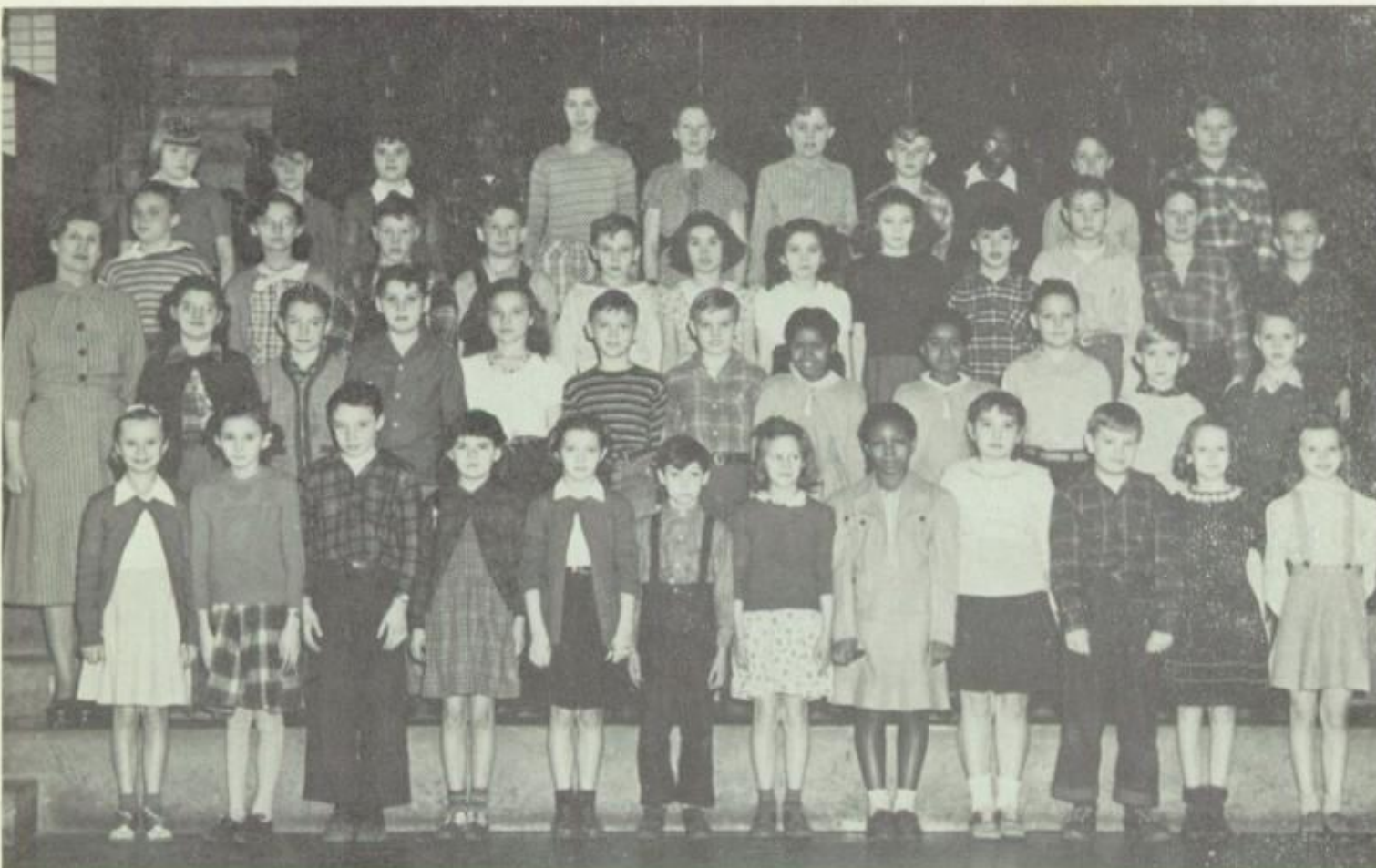


MISS BETTY I. NELSON
Cedarville College
First Grade



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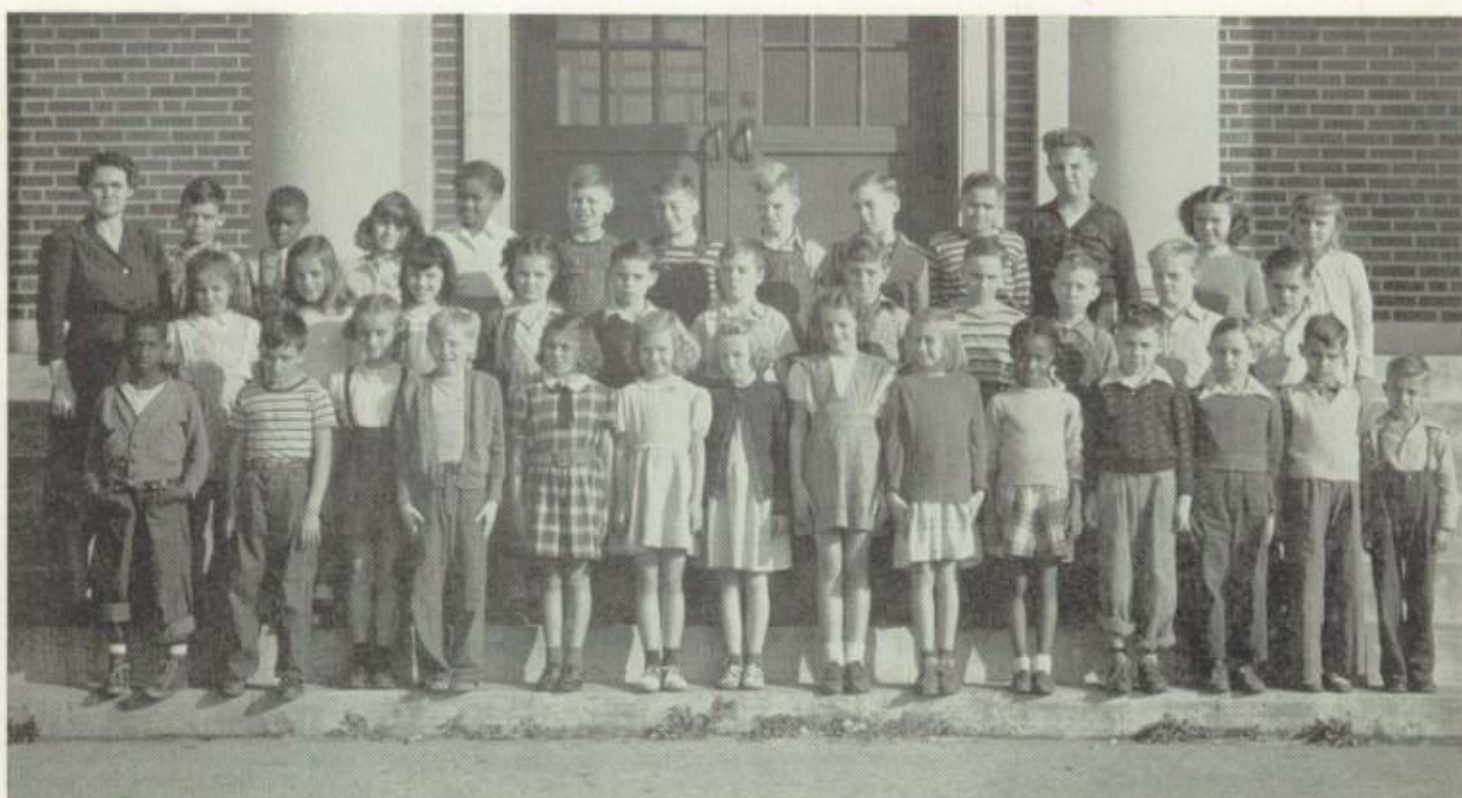
First Row: l. to r. Maxine Slusher, Carl Hayner, Janet Smart, Oscar Glass, Harold Gillem, Ronald Eavers, Gary Rogers, Neil Grooms, Robert Talbott, Ford Pickering, Donald Newton, James Taylor.
 Second Row: Helen Adkins, Georgia Shinkle, Kay Talbott, Carole Irons, Mary Stanforth, Norma Baxla, Lina June Bryan, Clara Faye Leach, Donna Bowers, William Nelson, Wayne Bell.
 Third Row: Thomas Bailey, Janice Garringer, Ralph Newton Sanders, Betty Bradshaw, Palmeta Curtis, Douglas McDowell, Carolyn Staley, Larry Rhinehart, Miss McVey.
 Fourth Row: Marvin Harper, Flora Reed, Lynn Pickering, Ronald Bryan, Carol Ann Kelley, Eugene Knox, Shirley Hunter, Ronald Jacobs.



F i f t h G r a d e

First Row: l. to r. Patty Hart, Evelyn Baker, Carl Arn, Janet Knisley, Judith Sewell, Billy Blankenship, Charlotte Grooms, Gwendolyn Stinson, Robert Harlow, Donald Miller, Carol Bowers, Marianne Speakman.
 Second Row: Mrs. Thuma, Hannah Fields, Orlyn Smith, George Roden, Wanda Stephens, Douglas Lamppin, David Jenks, Anita Taylor, Annetta Taylor, Robert Wright, Richard Crothers, Billy Haines.
 Third Row: Thomas Bailey, Hanice Garringer, Ralph Newton, Robert Hopkins, Willard Edwards, Shir'ey Finley, Gladys Brandel, Ruthanna Talbott, Lowell Carter, Richard Hughes, Delmar Pence, Paul Lynch.
 Fourth Row: Shirley Troute, Lowell Blankenship, Beverly Gill, Lester Bell, Lorretta Bryan, Marlene Pence, Samuel Hall, Roland Hagler, William Jones, Wayne Finley, Philip Ireland.

Fourth Grade



First Row: l. to r. Raymond James, Wayne Baise, Lois Humphrey, Marlin Eavers, Juleah Whittington, Barbara Bradds, Ellen Jane Smith, Virginia Newton, Phyllis Newton, Jeannette Wright, Tommy Staley, Carroll Saunders, Teddy Sessler, Ronald Lee Hayner.
Second Row: Mrs. Banta, Bonnie Edwards, Evelyn Pitzer, Jacquelin Dolphin, Patricia Shay, Leroy Allen, Ronald Baxla, Ned Pettit, Duane Shinkle, Thomas Reed, Donald Baxla, Joe Reck.
Third Row: Tommy Woolley, Earl Nelson, Jennie Wallace, Sonja Bell, Roger Smart, Richard Willis, Bobby Holliday, Ivan Willis, Johnnie Rittenhouse, Warren Little, Carol Jean Smith, Annette Sesar.
Absent: David Wisecup, Mary Ann Willis, Lavina Pinson, George Stinson.

Third Grade



First Row: l. to r. Cynthia Jones, Clarence Smart, Donald Kepler, Judith Green, Billy Sutton, Elzie Edwards, Janet Slusher, Deloris Blankenship, Elnora Hart, Beverly Harrison, Claudie Cox, Jane Brandel, Gary Eavers, John Lute.
Second Row: Mary Lou Johnson, Joyce Corbett, Rita Pickering, Patricia Litteral, James Hoover, Richard Patterson, Eugene Hyer, Jackie Hopkins, Tommy Thuma, Nancy Matthews, Teddy Rogers, Bobby Thau, Margie Rowland, Bertha Belle Bowers.
Third Row: Miss Toland, Donald Bryan, Jimmy Faulkner, Cecil Adkins, Ronald Bell, Beverly Cox, Ann Rutter, Patricia Allbright, Joan Roden, Charles Huff, Larry Jones, Donald Kindle, James Wallace.

Second Grade



First Row: l. to r. Peggy James, Lynn Claire, Peggy Ary, Bobby Persinger, Margaret Carter, Patricia McPherson, Darrell McCall, Charles Humphrey, Dale Fent, Richard Reese, Bonnie Stingley, Richard Jenks.

Second Row: Bobby Shay, Carol Lee Holliday, Joy Storer, Joyce Johnson, Carolyn Clemmer, Phoebe Swogger, Shirley Blakely, Marthana Ritenour, Wayne Grooms, Otte Marie Tomlinson, Johnny Burnett, Cyril Moorman, Opal Adkins.

Third Row: Mrs. Moorman, James McPherson, Sherill McNamee, Franklin Allbright, Billy Kindle, Ray Ramey, Truman Hall, Jackie Franklin, James Evans.

Absent: Eleanor Entsminger, Guy Lyons, Joyce Lyons, Donna Fulk, Joe Wright, Bonnie Lou Reck, Daryl Swearinger, Philip Baxla, Carolyn Russell, Lohr Pickering.

First and Second Grade



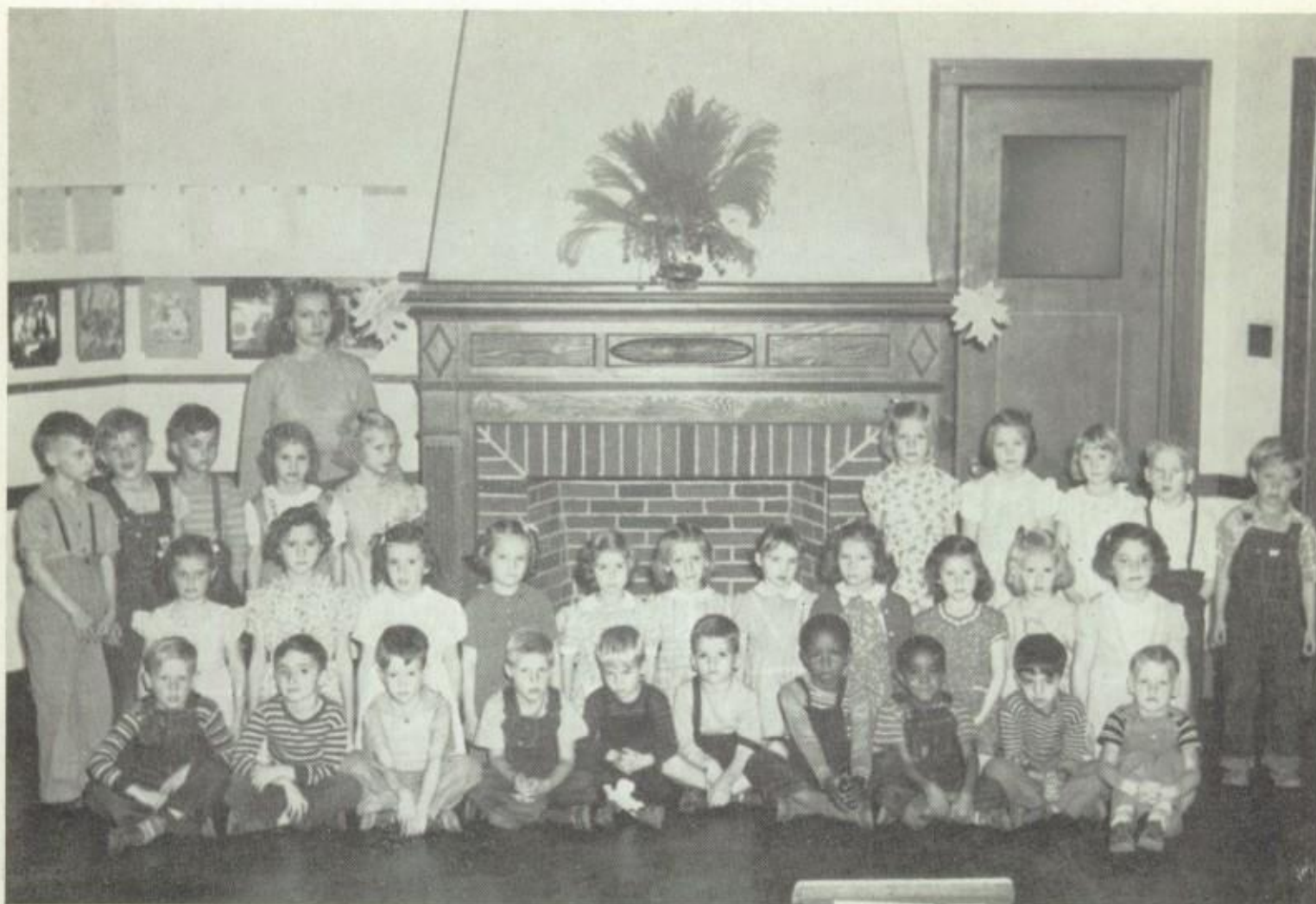
First Row: l. to r. Roger Bradds, Melanie Bauer, Betty Lou Stephens, Russell Flax, Jr., Linda Sessler, Kay Perkins, Marlene Cox, Gerald Allen, Donna Bais, Jerry Ritenour, Barbrae Adkins.

Second Row: Ernest Shinkle, Joyce Ann Mossman, Betty Wallace, Paul Long, Carol Wisecup, Sharon Rogers, Joyce Ann Lewis, Donna Finley, Jimmie Sutton, Danny Baise, Marilyn Bowermaster.

Third Row: Mrs. Reese, Ernest Finley, Kenneth Patterson, Leon Bryan, Richard Cartwright, Harold Rittenhouse, Darrell Reid.

Absent: Wanda Hubble.

First Grade



First Row: l. to r. Donnie Matthews, Keith Perry, Stephen Powers, Marvin Grooms, Tommy Edwards, Philip Reid, Theodore Jones, Dick Taylor, Paul Pitzer, Carl Glass.
 Second Row: Pat Howe, Ruth Bryan, Ruth Anne Brown, Rosanna Bowers, Janet Bryan, Barbara Oney, Jean Knisley, Juanita Runnels, Eleanor Shingle, Judith Smith, Carolyn Jones.
 Third Row: Tommy Johnson, Robert Burnett, James Baker, Alice Smart, Nancy Irwin, Nancy Martin, Peggy Goodbar, Judy Sutton, Jerry Knisley, Fred Cox.
 Fourth Row: Miss Nelson.
 Absent: Eddie Wright, Gene Grooms, Warren Fields, Mickey Pinson, Simion Stinson, Patricia McPherson.

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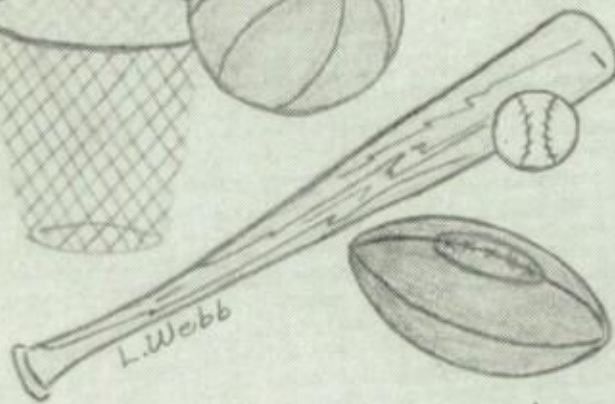
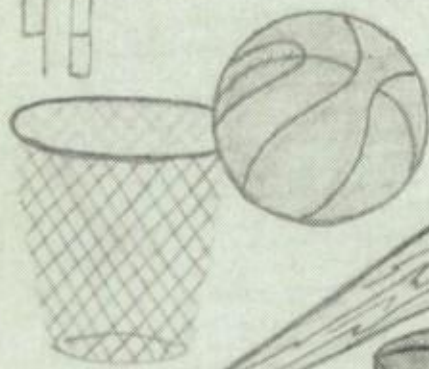
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Eddie Brill
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Dick Pettit
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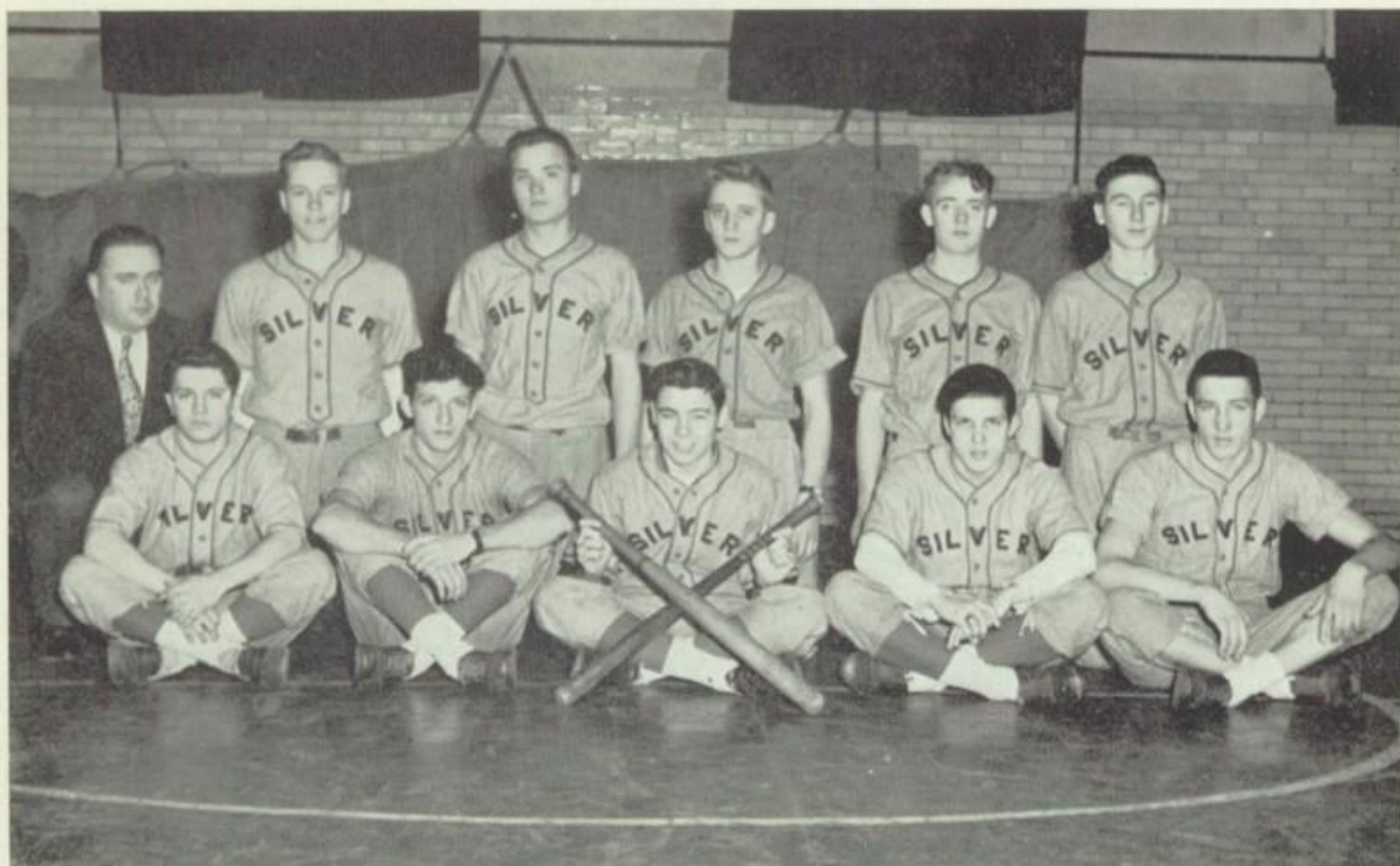
BASKETBALL TEAM



First Row: l. to r. Don Tracy, Gene Abels, Bill Evans, Herbert Carter, Bob Stafford, Paul Edwards.

Second Row: Mr. Wallace, Coach; Dick Pettit, Nathan Burr, Eddie Brill, Jim Ferguson, Bob Chaney.

Baseball



First Row: l. to r. Don Tracy, Short Stop; Dick Pettit, Catcher; Nathan Burr, Second Base; Bob Chaney, Out Field; Joe Baise, Out Field.
Second Row: Mr. Wallace, Coach; Bill Evans, First Base; Warren Webb, Utility; Robert Stafford, Out Field; Jim Ferguson, Out Field; Eddie Brill, Third Base; Herbert Carter, Pitcher, Absent.

Track



First Row: l. to r. David Swearingen, 220 yd. dash; Bob Chaney, 880 yd. relay, 1 mile relay, 880 yd. dash; Mr. Thompson, Coach; Joe Baise, withdrawn; Bailey Jones, 100 yd. dash, 220 yd. dash, 880 yd. relay.
Second Row: Dick Pettit, 880 yd. relay, 100 yd. dash, 1 mile relay, pole vault; Nathan Burr, mile relay, high jump; Warren Webb, shot put, discus; Robert Stafford, high jump; Paul Graham, shot put, discus; Don Person, 440 yd. dash, mile relay.

Cheerleaders



Varsity

l. to r. Jane Thuma, Marcia Moorman, Betty Knecht, Ersia Perkins, Mary Lou Fox.

Cheerleaders



Jr. High

l. to r. Kay Seslar, Mary Lee Jenks, Jean Pickens.

Band



First Row: l. to r. seated. Max Seslar, Ellen Fuerst, Janet Garringer, Lenna Nelson, Betty Bradshaw, Evelyn Persinger, Bailey Jones.
Second Row: standing. Wilma Finney, Dan Coe, Kay Seslar, Shirley Mossman, Bob Stafford, Nancy Shoemaker, Wilma Willis, Maynard Bingamon, Ernest Rockhold, Don Stafford, Norma Brown, Dorothy Suttles.
Third Row: Mr. Steel, Max Allen, Mary Lee Jenks, Jack Thuma, Harold Smart, Jim Ferguson, Kenneth Stafford, Keith Seslar, Carl Baker.

Our band has made considerable progress this year. Members lost by graduation have been replaced by both students moving in and students from the grades who have shown interest and applied themselves to the study of their instruments. In December the band ended its 1947 year with thirty-five members. This number keeps changing as students move away or new students become eligible for band work.

One way to have a fine band is to start players in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, so they will be accomplished musicians by the time they are in high school. The need for more instruments in these grades is urgent.

The band has two objectives to work toward this year. There is to be a Greene County Spring Band Festival in which the best players in both Class A and Class B schools are to participate. We hope to have some members in this band.

There will be county music contests this year for both soloists and ensembles. The winners of the contests will go on to the district and from there to the state. We expect some of our members to make a showing in these contests.

Chorus



First Row: l. to r. Martha Arne Fuerst, Pianist; Eleanor Bell, Clarice Stephens, Edith Glass, Sopranos; Willard Stephens, Richard Matthews, Bill Harrison, Keith Sessler, Baritones; Marcia Moorman, Janice St. John, Wilda Knisley, Violet Conkel, Altos.
Second Row: Anna Nelson, Mary Jane Glass, Norma Brown, Ruthanna Roberts, Sopranos; Paul Edwards, Maynard Bingamon, Russell Newton, Donald Person, Baritones; Betty Crothers, Patty Jameson, Shirley Mossman, Eleanor Jacobs, Altos.
Third Row: Norma Troute, Ersia Perkins, Mary Lou Fox, Mary Evelyn Glass, Sopranos; Bailey Jones, Don Tracy, Ronnie Rogers, Baritones; Alice Stillwell, Ruth Bryan, Dorothy Pitzer, Charlotte Straley, Mary Suttles, Altos.
Fourth Row: Hazel Sprinkle, Madge Wilson, Joyce Gustin, Joan Shay, Sopranos; Ernest Rockhold, Herbert Carter, Kenneth Dennis, Delmer Bone, Baritones; Jane Thuma, Mildred Tidd, Ida Roden, Betty Scott, Altos.

Music Contest Group



First Row: l. to r. Mary Lou Fox, Eleanor Bell, Ida Roden, Clarice Jeanne Stephens, Ensemble; Martha Anne Fuerst, Piano Solo; Shirley Mossman, Jane Thuma, Marcia Moorman, Ensemble; Mr. Steel, Director.
Second Row: Don Tracy, Kenneth Dennis, Ensemble; Ernest Rockhold, Piano Solo; Bailey Jones, Clarinet Solo; Robert Stafford, Trumpet Solo; Lawrence Davis, Ensemble.

Student Senate



First Row: l. to r. Elizabeth Allbright, Freshman Class; Bill Evans, Junior Class; Dorothy Pitzer, Sophomore Class.
Second Row: Mr. Dolphin, Advisor; Max Seslar, Seventh Grade; Mary Lee Jenks, Eighth Grade; Don Tracy, Senior Class.

Newspaper Staff



First Row: l. to r. Delmer Bone, Circulating Manager; Jane Thuma, Mary Lou Fox, Assistant Editor; Lucille Webb, Editor-in-Chief; Martha Anne Fuerst, Secretary; Eleanor Jacobs, Treasurer.
Second Row: Kenneth Dennis, Shirley Mossman, Nancy Sanders, Clarice Stephens, Janis St. John, Barbara Haines, Una Mae Webb, Reporters; Mrs. Wills, Miss Paullin, Advisors.

Girl Reserves



Hi-Y Club

Varsity Club



First Row: l. to r. Eleanor Jacobs, Richard Pettit, Jane Thuma, Kenneth Dennis, Martha Fuerst.
 Second Row: Don Tracy, Nathan Burr, Mary Lou Fox, Bailey Jones, (Herbert Carter, absent).
 President.....Herbert Carter Secretary.....Jane Thuma
 Vice President.....Richard Pettit Treasurer.....Kenneth Dennis

Public Speaking



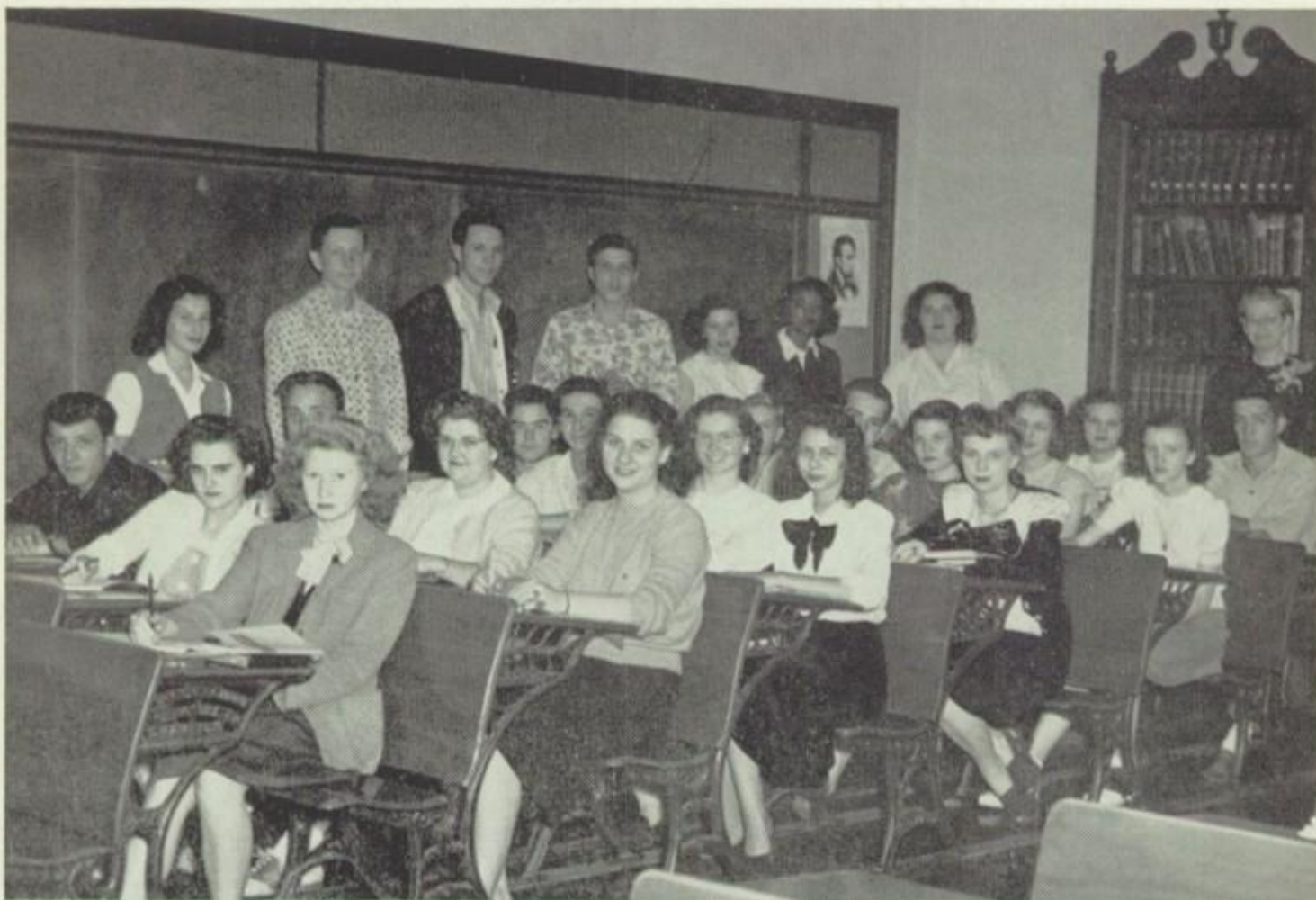
l. to r. Don Person, Bob Stafford, Kenneth Dennis, Delmer Bone, Don Tracy, Almeda Jones, Bailey Jones, Norma Marchant, Vivian Ficks, Lucille Webb, Nedra Harper, Patty Goings, Clarice Stephens, Lawrence Davis.
 Miss Stormont is holding the microphone.

Study Hall



Cafeteria

English 11



History 10

Science 8



English 7

Math 8



Physics

Typing II



Home Economics

Girls Physical Education



Boys Physical Education

Custodians



l. to r. Eddie Brill, Homer Tracy, Don Tracy.

Cooks



l. to r. Mrs. Homer Tracy, Mrs. James Broderick.

Bus Drivers



l. to r. Quincy Lively, Russell Eavers, Clayton Wiseman, Kenneth Finney, Elmer Hagler, William Finney.

Snapshots



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Ada's Restaurant
Emil Brown
Mauck Restaurant
Jamestown Oil Co.
Xenia Farmer's Exchange
Adams-Thuma Lumber Co.
Hall. J. Hill Farm Service
Fairley's Economy Hardware
Ellison's Modern Shoe Repair
Dayton-Southeastern Bus Line
Stafford's Tin Shop
Power's Funeral Home
Elmo B. Higham, Insurance & Real Estate
Gibb's Hardware
Ferguson & Moorman's Market
Reeves Clothing Co.
Farmer's & Trader's Bank
Henderickson & Ritenour, M. D.
Clemmer's Beauty Shop
Smith Motor Sales
Miller's Blacksmith Shop
Corner Cut Rate
Charles N. Fudge, Insurance & Real Estate
Hilltop Greenhouse
Murry Jeweler's
Dairy Store
Dr. A. Y. Whitehead, Dentist
Gerard Insurance
Dr. Smith
Vernard Theatre

XENIA

James Bros. Market
Kraft's Coffee Shoppe
C. and B. Oil Co.
Ray Cox Insurance Agency
Lang Chevrolet Co.
Kaiser Laundry
Amlin Motor Sales
Pat's Grocery
Hitchcock Jewelry Store
Fair Store Electric Center
The Criterion
McDorman's
Corner Pharmacy-Rexall Store
J. C. Penney Co.

XENIA, Cont.

Xenia National Bank
Farm Bureau
Greene County Lumber Co.
King Tractor Sales
Swigart's Garage
Litt Bros.
Tiffany's Jewelry Store
Purdom's Motor Sales
Lucille's Beauty Shop
Adair's Furniture
Neeld Funeral Home
George Dodd's & Sons
Model Dry Cleaners
Eichman's
Smith's Bakery
Galloway and Cherry
Alice Rinck's Hat Shop
Boring School and Office Supplies
Moore's
Seal Music Shop
Smith Jewelry
Famous Cheap Store
Milton's
Anderson's Insurance Agency
Kathryn's Beauty Shop
Standard Oil Co.
Gegner's Market
Anderson's Flower Shop
The Camera Shop
City Loan
Braun's Jewelry's
McDowell & Torrence
Famous Auto Supply
Geyer's Restaurant

CEDARVILLE

Confarr's Pantry
Old Mill Camp

BOWERSVILLE

Goodbar's Modern Market
W. W. Warnock

JEFFERSONVILLE

Little's Furniture

WASHINGTON C. H.

J. E. White & Son
Wilson's Hardware
Maddox Restaurant

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